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**Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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In response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-captioned application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of the present document.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of the present document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of the present document.